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See MCI v. FCC, 515 F 2d 385 (D.C. Circ 1974).

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COMMENT DATES SET FOR COMMENTS ON TELEMARKETING RULES

Comments due November 22, 2002; replies due December 9, 2002

Washington, DC – On September 18, 2002, the FCC released a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM) and Memorandum Opinion and Order (FCC 02-250), seeking comments on whether it should change its rules that restrict telemarketing calls and unsolicited faxes and, if so, how.

Comments relating to the rulemaking are due 45 days after the NPRM is published in the Federal Register, and reply comments are due 60 days following publication in the Federal Register. Reply comments are filed after the comments are received and offer an opportunity to “reply” to the original comments.

The NPRM was published in the Federal Register on October 8, 2002 (67 FR 62667). Therefore, comments are due on November 22, 2002, and reply comments are due on December 9, 2002. Comments should be filed according to the instructions provided in the NPRM.

The News Release and NPRM are at:
http://hraunfoss.fcc.gov/edocs_public/attachmatch/DOC-226183A1.pdf and
http://hraunfoss.fcc.gov/edocs_public/attachmatch/FCC-02-250A1.pdf

Information on filing comments with the FCC is at:
<http://wireless.fcc.gov/csinfo/comments.html>

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